GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2567
ANSWERED ON:30.08.2007
LAYING OF THIRD/FOURTH RAIL LINES
Kharventhan Shri Salarapatty Kuppusamy

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways have any proposal to lay third/fourth lines between various sections in the country;

(b) if so, the sections identified for the same; and

(c) the time by which the third/fourth lines are likely to be laid?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a) to (c): A Statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) T O (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2567 BY SHRI S.K. KHARVENTHAN TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 30.08.2007 REGARDING LAYING OF THIRD/FOURTH RAILW LINE

(a) and (b): For laying third line, surveys on the following sections have been taken up:-

Sl. No.	Name of the section
1.	Igatpuri-Bhusaval
2.	Bhadrak-Nergundi
3.	Baruipur - Sealdah
4.	Jhansi-Bina
5.	Ballarshah-Kazipet
6.	Kazipet-Vijaywada-Gudur
7.	Renigunta-Arakkonam
8.	Secunderabad-Bhongir
9.	Durg-Nagpur
10.	Itarsi-Nagpur-Wardha-Ballarshah
11.	Jharsuguda-Champa
12.	Chakradharpur-Bondamunda
13.	3rd line as extension of Pendrasali-Rajkharswan bypass upto Chakradharpur
14.	3rd line between Dongraposi-Pendrasali extended upto Rajkharswan
15.	Kharagpur-Jharsuguda
16.	Rajkharswan-Adityapur
17.	Bhopal-Itarsi
18.	Ratlam-Vadodra
19.	Viramgam-Ahmedabad

At present, no survey for 4th line is in progress.

(c): The proposals are at survey stage and decision to take up the work or otherwise will depend on survey report.